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Title : Thermal Flowmeter For Measuring a Flow Rate of Fluid

**AMENDMENT  
PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

**Mail Stop AMENDMENT**  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in response to the Office Action mailed April 25, 2008. The response due date, extended three months and to the first business day following a weekend, is October 27, 2008.

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